

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-27 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, claims 1, 2, 8, 14, 15, 21 and 22 are amended. No new matter is added. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Claims 1, 2, 8, 14, 15, 21 and 22 are only amended for better clarity at Applicants' preference. Neither Yamamoto nor Hayashi teaches or suggest such features.

In view of the foregoing and in view of the Request for Reconsideration filed November 16, 2005, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance of claims 1-27 are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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